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Appendix A - Estimated employment and origin of seasonal hired agricultural workers,
by State and selected agricultural reporting area 1/
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Region, State and agricultural reporting area	Total	U. S. workers					Foreign			
		Total U.S. workers	Local	Intra- state	Inter- state	Puerto Rican	Total foreign	Mexican	BWI	Canadian & others
<u>U. S. Total</u>	1,384,120	1,099,716	827,669	139,294	122,213	10,540	284,404	275,283	7,050	2,071
<u>Eastern Seaboard</u>	257,691	250,006	197,344	7,562	34,878	10,222	7,685	568	6,616	501
<u>Connecticut</u>	5,870	4,730	4,180	0	0	550	1,140	0	1,140	0
Tobacco Valley	5,870	4,730	4,180	0	0	550	1,140	0	1,140	0
<u>Delaware</u>	727	727	258	0	356	113	0	0	0	0
<u>Florida</u>	33,066	30,297	24,797	1,500	2,356	1,644	2,769	0	2,769	0
Central Ridge	11,590	10,744	10,074	100	485	85	846	0	846	0
Lake Okeechobee	9,036	7,649	4,254	1,100	1,286	1,009	1,387	0	1,387	0
Tampa Bay	3,627	3,389	3,164	0	150	75	238	0	238	0
Other areas	8,813	8,515	7,305	300	435	475	298	0	298	0
<u>Georgia</u>	40,443	39,875	37,725	2,150	0	0	568	568	0	0
Alapaha River	4,825	4,825	4,825	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Savannah River	6,750	6,750	4,700	2,050	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	28,868	28,300	28,200	100	0	0	568	568	0	0
<u>Maine</u>	7,987	7,607	7,536	0	50	21	380	0	0	380
Aroostock Potato	6,600	6,300	6,300	0	0	0	300	0	0	300
Residual	1,387	1,307	1,236	0	50	21	80	0	0	80

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		Total U.S. workers	Local	Intra- state	Inter- state	Puerto Rican	Total foreign	Mexican	BWI	
<u>Maryland</u>	3,534	3,500	1,799	30	1,508	163	34	0	34	0
Eastern Shore	2,456	2,440	1,039	0	1,370	31	16	0	16	0
Other areas	1,078	1,060	760	30	138	132	18	0	18	0
<u>Massachusetts</u>	8,754	8,436	7,834	10	30	562	318	0	318	0
<u>New Hampshire</u>	1,900	1,803	1,725	0	34	41	97	0	31	66
<u>New Jersey</u>	13,685	12,898	5,343	40	3,375	4,140	787	0	787	0
<u>New York</u>	29,805	29,208	8,401	1,045	18,317	1,445	597	0	567	30
Rochester	11,340	11,340	3,415	315	7,165	445	0	0	0	0
Other areas	18,465	17,868	4,986	730	11,152	1,000	597	0	567	30
<u>North Carolina</u>	66,490	66,490	63,299	1,605	1,586	0	0	0	0	0
Elizabeth City	4,030	4,030	3,600	430	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greenville	7,900	7,900	7,854	0	46	0	0	0	0	0
Washington	7,600	7,600	7,560	0	40	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Clive	29,200	29,200	27,750	850	600	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	17,760	17,760	16,535	325	900	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Pennsylvania</u>	18,332	18,332	12,276	995	3,531	1,530	0	0	0	0
South Central	6,417	6,417	4,613	187	914	703	0	0	0	0
Other areas	11,915	11,915	7,663	808	2,617	827	0	0	0	0
<u>South Carolina</u>	8,050	8,050	8,050	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Vermont</u>	1,200	1,175	975	0	200	0	25	0	0	25

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<u>Virginia</u>	<u>17,195</u>	<u>16,225</u>	<u>12,620</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>3,535</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>970</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>970</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Eastern Shore-</u>										
Norfolk	4,600	4,600	2,500	0	2,100	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	12,595	11,625	10,120	60	1,435	10	970	0	970	0
<u>West Virginia</u>	653	653	526	127	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>North Central</u>	<u>130,024</u>	<u>127,527</u>	<u>87,899</u>	<u>13,465</u>	<u>25,845</u>	<u>318</u>	<u>2,497</u>	<u>2,118</u>	<u>379</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Illinois</u>	<u>1,871</u>	<u>1,871</u>	<u>1,021</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>827</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Indiana</u>	<u>1,376</u>	<u>1,321</u>	<u>901</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>382</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Northeast</u>	<u>216</u>	<u>216</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Other areas	1,160	1,105	751	0	316	38	55	55	0	0
<u>Kansas</u>	<u>18,750</u>	<u>18,721</u>	<u>11,246</u>	<u>6,550</u>	<u>925</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Plains</u>	<u>14,500</u>	<u>14,500</u>	<u>8,800</u>	<u>5,000</u>	<u>700</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Other areas	4,250	4,221	2,446	1,550	225	0	29	29	0	0
<u>Michigan</u>	<u>28,665</u>	<u>27,652</u>	<u>16,394</u>	<u>2,115</u>	<u>9,118</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>1,013</u>	<u>754</u>	<u>259</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Bay City</u>	<u>3,200</u>	<u>3,086</u>	<u>1,925</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>1,011</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>114</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>98</u>	<u>0</u>
Benton Harbor	7,150	7,082	2,000	200	4,882	0	68	68	0	0
Lansing	3,600	3,220	1,700	315	1,200	5	380	380	0	0
Manistee	2,460	2,460	1,260	450	750	0	0	0	0	0
Muskegan	4,380	4,131	2,431	750	950	0	249	249	0	0
Pontiac	3,575	3,414	3,044	100	250	20	161	0	161	0
Traverse City	1,560	1,519	1,294	150	75	0	41	41	0	0
Other areas	2,740	2,740	2,740	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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		Total U.S. workers	Local	Intra-state	Inter-state		Total foreign	Mexican	BWI	
<u>Minnesota</u>	4,454	4,394	3,416	592	386	0	60	60	0	0
Southern	2,296	2,236	2,083	92	61	0	60	60	0	0
Other areas	2,158	2,158	1,333	500	325	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Missouri</u>	40,570	39,485	30,785	1,803	6,897	0	1,085	1,085	0	0
Bootheel - S. E. Missouri Cotton	40,570	39,485	30,785	1,803	6,897	0	1,085	1,085	0	0
<u>Nebraska</u>	5,256	5,256	4,036	455	765	0	0	0	0	0
<u>North Dakota</u>	9,595	9,595	3,463	1,392	4,740	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Ohio</u>	14,767	14,737	13,373	425	704	235	30	0	30	0
Northwest	2,262	2,262	2,081	16	155	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	12,505	12,475	11,292	409	539	235	30	0	30	0
<u>Wisconsin</u>	4,720	4,495	3,264	110	1,101	20	225	135	90	0
East Central	1,310	1,139	810	0	329	0	171	135	36	0
Other areas	3,410	3,356	2,454	110	772	20	54	0	54	0
<u>South Central</u>	598,336	421,395	334,532	72,505	14,358	0	176,941	176,886	55	0
<u>Alabama</u>	22,215	22,215	22,120	50	45	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Arkansas</u>	110,880	71,879	68,065	1,805	2,009	0	39,001	39,001	0	0
St. Francis-Cache River Cotton	38,788	21,925	19,725	1,300	900	0	16,863	16,863	0	0
Upper Miss. River Delta Cotton	44,413	25,835	24,390	445	1,000	0	18,578	18,578	0	0
Other areas	27,679	24,119	23,950	60	109	0	3,560	3,560	0	0

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<u>Kentucky</u>	2,000	1,649	1,549	100	0	0	351	351	0	0
<u>Louisiana</u>	33,700	33,700	33,500	50	150	0	0	0	0	0
Delta Cotton	12,000	12,000	11,900	0	100	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	21,700	21,700	21,600	50	50	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Oklahoma</u>	21,125	21,125	14,052	1,753	5,320	0	0	0	0	0
Southwestern	9,750	9,750	3,270	1,380	5,100	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	11,375	11,375	10,782	373	220	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Tennessee</u>	39,950	39,150	38,673	295	182	0	800	800	0	0
Northwest	13,904	13,904	13,694	190	20	0	0	0	0	0
Southwest	16,794	16,794	16,794	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	9,252	8,452	8,185	105	162	0	800	800	0	0
<u>Texas</u>	342,975	206,186	131,961	67,600	6,625	0	136,789	136,734	55	0
Central Texas	17,525	17,439	14,189	3,250	0	0	86	86	0	0
Coastal Bend	3,590	3,487	3,487	0	0	0	103	103	0	0
Cross Timbers	7,205	7,189	5,459	1,730	0	0	16	16	0	0
East Texas	18,480	17,739	15,489	2,250	0	0	741	741	0	0
Edwards Plateau	62,180	19,145	12,925	6,220	0	0	43,035	43,012	23	0
High Rolling Plains	129,680	89,380	31,180	52,175	6,025	0	40,300	40,300	0	0
Llano-Post Oak	14,265	10,475	9,225	1,250	0	0	3,790	3,790	0	0
Lower Rio Grande Valley	26,320	17,450	17,450	0	0	0	8,870	8,870	0	0
Northern Panhandle	7,105	6,592	5,267	725	600	0	513	513	0	0
Rio Grande Plains	17,330	12,265	12,265	0	0	0	5,065	5,038	27	0
Trans-Pecos	35,820	1,550	1,550	0	0	0	34,270	34,265	5	0
Upper Coastal	2,145	2,145	2,145	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	1,330	1,330	1,330	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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<u>Western</u>	398,069	300,788	207,894	45,762	47,132	0	97,281	95,711	0	1,570
<u>Arizona</u>	39,506	24,123	16,125	2,220	5,778	0	15,383	15,383	0	0
Cochise	2,755	1,145	520	320	305	0	1,610	1,610	0	0
Maricopa	17,861	10,943	8,000	600	2,343	0	6,918	6,918	0	0
Pinal	7,460	6,805	4,305	300	2,200	0	655	655	0	0
Yuma	7,300	1,100	1,100	0	0	0	6,200	6,200	0	0
Other areas	4,130	4,130	2,200	1,000	930	0	0	0	0	0
<u>California</u>	227,900	166,750	126,700	29,050	11,000	0	61,150	59,580	0	1,570
Central Coast	32,250	20,300	16,050	3,200	1,050	0	11,950	11,640	0	310
Desert	17,900	4,050	3,250	500	300	0	13,850	13,780	0	70
North Coast	7,000	6,600	4,050	1,800	750	0	400	400	0	0
Sacramento Valley	21,450	15,350	10,300	3,350	1,700	0	6,100	5,970	0	130
San Joaquin Valley	118,700	105,850	79,900	19,450	6,500	0	12,850	12,530	0	320
South Coast	30,600	14,600	13,150	750	700	0	16,000	15,260	0	740
<u>Colorado</u>	18,496	17,596	9,204	2,470	5,922	0	900	900	0	0
Arkansas Valley	2,115	1,447	1,136	121	190	0	668	668	0	0
Northern Colorado	6,471	6,349	3,658	919	1,772	0	122	122	0	0
Other areas	9,910	9,800	4,410	1,430	3,960	0	110	110	0	0
<u>Idaho</u>	25,785	25,785	16,910	990	7,885	0	0	0	0	0
Eastern	13,775	13,775	9,150	200	4,425	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	12,010	12,010	7,760	790	3,460	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Montano</u>	4,588	4,588	2,620	1,288	680	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Sugar Beet	590	590	325	145	120	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	3,998	3,998	2,295	1,143	560	0	0	0	0	0

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<u>Nevada</u>	930	916	556	160	200	0	14	14	0	0
<u>New Mexico</u>	23,963	4,436	2,930	668	838	0	19,527	19,527	0	0
Artesia	2,333	130	130	0	0	0	2,203	2,203	0	0
Carlsbad	1,975	260	260	0	0	0	1,715	1,715	0	0
Hobbs	3,775	570	230	60	280	0	3,205	3,205	0	0
Las Cruces	8,664	1,180	967	38	175	0	7,484	7,484	0	0
Roswell	3,753	770	529	91	150	0	2,983	2,983	0	0
Silver City	1,387	28	28	0	0	0	1,359	1,359	0	0
Other areas	2,076	1,498	1,026	479	233	0	578	578	0	0
<u>Oregon</u>	13,680	13,680	8,500	1,820	3,360	0	0	0	0	0
Williamette Valley	6,810	6,810	6,200	115	465	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	6,870	6,870	2,300	1,675	2,895	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Utah</u>	7,660	7,353	6,243	20	1,090	0	307	307	0	0
North Central	5,175	4,911	4,506	20	385	0	264	264	0	0
Other areas	2,485	2,442	1,737	0	705	0	43	43	0	0
<u>Washington</u>	33,681	33,681	16,816	6,846	10,019	0	0	0	0	0
North Central	12,800	12,800	2,850	4,525	5,425	0	0	0	0	0
Northwestern	519	519	464	25	30	0	0	0	0	0
South Central	14,445	14,445	8,846	1,912	3,687	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	5,137	5,137	3,938	384	815	0	0	0	0	0

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<u>Wyoming</u>	1,880	1,880	1,290	230	360	0	0	0	0	0

1/ Agricultural areas selected for inclusion are those areas in which a peak of at least 10,000 seasonal hired workers or 1,000 foreign workers was reached in 1958 as reported in In-Season Farm Labor Reports, ES-223. Data for each area satisfying these criteria are presented monthly in this appendix. However, areas are omitted during months for which they are not required to submit ES-223 reports. Such reports are not required for periods in which fewer than 500 seasonal hired farm workers are employed unless higher employment will be resumed after a "lay-by" period, foreign workers are employed, or specified shortages or surpluses of seasonal hired farm workers exist. Figures are preliminary and subject to revision.